

Fox announces 2011 Fall/Winter shows Plus a little Broadway pixie dust!

Riverside's Fox Performing Arts Center recently released its initial list of programming for the 2011 Fall/Winter lineup, offering legendary names and local favorites, award-winning artists and home-grown holiday classics, new comedy and even a special star-spangled Veterans Day tribute. All of this with promise of more surprises to come!

The season starts off on a strong note as Grammy Award-winning singer-songwriter-guitarist Kenny Loggins performs his many hits along with special guests Blue Sky Riders and Firefall. The following week, another Grammy winner, Jon Secada will be joined on stage by Riverside's own RCCerious! Next up is 14-time Grammy Award Winner B.B. King with young blues guitarist Kenny Wayne Shepherd. Closing out September is Hall of Fame songwriter Leon Russell.

Fantastic entertainment continues into the fall with the return of Jason Bonham's Led Zeppelin Experience, the wit of the fresh young comic Anjelah Johnson, the Riverside County Philharmonic season opener, an inspired evening of gospel with Beverly Crawford and Pat Benatar with Neil Giraldo.

On Veterans Day be sure to join your friends and neighbors Downtown for a very special salute to our soldiers with Howie Mandel and the 82nd Airborne All American Chorus! And in December, the California Riverside Ballet is bringing back the Nutcracker. Masters of Harmony will also return with their ever-popular annual presentation of Christmas carols and other seasonal songs.

Fall also means the kickoff of the fantastic 2011/2012 Broadway season. Four exceptional shows have already been announced, including: Forever Plaid, Smokey Joe's Café, Ring of Fire and Miss Saigon. But to top off



this exciting mix, management at the Fox sprinkled a little pixie dust on spring of 2012 with the surprise announcement that Peter Pan has been added as a fifth show to the Fox Broadway season!

For more details on the Fox lineup and complete Broadway series or to purchase tickets, call the Fox Box Office at 779-9800 or visit FoxRiversideLive.com. While visiting the Web site, be sure to sign up on the Fox email list to receive updates as more great shows are revealed throughout the season!



What began in the 1880's as a single innovative idea by founder John Bean to develop a continuous spray pump for orchard pesticides, has grown to become industry giant JBT FoodTech; a corporation that boasts global branches and long-time roots in Riverside. By the turn of the century, the company was already planting new locations across California and with Riverside's prosperous citrus industry in full bloom, the City was a natural site for a machining company specializing in farming products. In time

JBT FoodTech: A Little Slice of Riverside History, A Growing Piece of Riverside's Future

the company (then known as FMC with a Riverside location on Twelfth Street) began to grow its product line, adding a variety of machines to protect, prepare and package produce, including a juicer that revolutionized the citrus industry.

Leap forward over 100 years and JBT FoodTech has become an international leader in food technologies: from food safety research to making the little stickers that we see on our grocery store produce. They export to 100 countries around the globe, and much of that will now happen from Riverside.

We are pleased to announce that

JBT, in considering ways to manage their continuing growth, has chosen a site in Riverside's Hunter Park for the consolidation of their out of state facilities: retaining 20 local jobs and adding 40 to 45 new positions over the next year.

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Measure I will be on the November 8 ballot to continue library services

obligations causing a reduction in local funding. In an effort to secure a dedicated revenue source for our local libraries, the City placed Measure C – a \$19 annual parcel tax – on the ballot in 2002. The measure passed with a 69% majority. This funding source will generate \$1.43 million for libraries this year representing 22% of the overall library budget. However, Measure C has a ten year term and is due to expire in June of 2012.

The Riverside Public Library has used the Measure C funds along with general funds to serve Riverside's 300,000 plus residents through extended hours of operation, books, electronic resources, materials for the hearing and visually impaired and by providing programs to engage

residents in reading and education. If approved by voters, Measure I will allow the City to continue funding for programs such as homework and reading as well as allow the libraries to address future priorities which include additional expanded hours of operation, computers and programming.

If approved, provisions of the Measure I extension of the parcel tax will be the same as what currently exists, which means no tax increase, all funds will be restricted for library services only and it will expire in ten years.

In order to vote on Measure I, individuals must be registered voters within the City of Riverside. The deadline to register is October 24, 2011.

The City of Riverside has placed Measure I on the November 8 ballot in order to continue and enhance library programs and services.

In 1992, the State shifted funds from cities to meet state budget

Curb-painting scam

So you came home today to a note on your door informing you that the house number on the curb is going to be painted. All you have to do is pay a voluntary donation.

Is it a scam? Maybe. Do you have to comply? Absolutely not!

The City of Riverside advises residents to be on the alert for unauthorized paint crews currently operating within the community. Curb painting service notices have been found on City of Riverside residents' doorsteps. The notice asks residents for a voluntary donation to repaint address numbers on the curb. These companies are in no way affiliated with or working at the City's request.

City of Riverside residents are not required by any City code to have home address numbers painted on the curb. The only requirement for addresses is that they are visible from the street near the front door or other entry.

If you observe an unauthorized paint crew operating in your neighborhood or if you are harassed by an individual asking for payment for curb painting services, the City encourages you to report the activity to the Riverside Police Department at 787-7911. Residents are under no obligation to pay for any services rendered.

Access to City Hall increases

Interested in making your opinion known? Now you have the opportunity to let us know if you support or oppose measures being considered by way of the City's Web site. Riverside has recently increased access to City Hall through the new eComment tool. eComment was implemented by the City Clerk's office and allows residents to share views on City Council agenda items. While the City will continue to accept traditional communication via letters, phone calls and emails, eComment will grant an easy, electronic way to participate in local decisions from the comfort of home.

Visit the City online at RiversideCa.gov and select either [City Council Agenda](#) or [City Council Meetings](#) under Mayor and City Council on the left-hand side. Then, simply click on [eComment](#) and fill in the form. All details and comments provided will be entered into the public record.

eComment is available beginning every Friday for the following Tuesday's Council meetings.



Convention center renovation and expansion gets underway

The Riverside Renaissance continues to transform downtown as its next project gets underway – the Riverside Convention Center. The council voted unanimously to hire Turner Construction to renovate and expand the 40-year-old center that draws close to 200,000 visitors and provides an estimated economic impact of more than \$3.5 million to Riverside each year.

The \$36 million project will add 36,900 square feet, upgrade the existing 56,000-square-foot facility, and create an outdoor military heritage plaza and amphitheater. Features of the project include a 10,000-square-foot Ben Lewis Hall expansion, new roof, new air walls in the exhibit halls and ball rooms, kitchen renovation with a new refrigeration room, additional



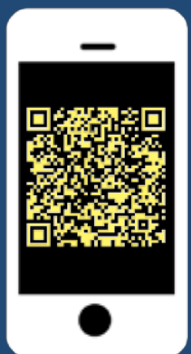
breakout and meeting rooms, new 4,000-square-foot ballroom, escalators, elevators, additional restrooms, ADA accessibility improvements, energy efficient systems, seismic retrofit, enhanced facades and a completely renovated plaza.

The Center provides a wide variety of services including conventions, trade shows, exhibits, special events, banquets and board meetings. With its expanded size and layout, the center will be able to better

serve larger, national conventions looking to come to Inland Southern California which means an increase in the number of visitors and overall economic impact to Riverside.

During the closure from May 2012 through 2013, convention activity will be conducted in other downtown facilities such as the Municipal Auditorium, which is currently being renovated.

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Riverside passport services moving and expanding



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The City of Riverside Passport Services has moved and expanded to better serve the community!

As of August 1, 2011, the newer, larger Passport Services office can be found at the Customer Resource Center, located at 3025 Madison Street. The office will be open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. No appointment is necessary, walk-ins only. For automated information, please call 826-5200.

Don't delay - get a passport in time for your trip today!

*For more information online, visit
RiversideCa.gov/City_Clerk/Passport.asp*



Community Events Calendar

August

25 **City Manager Search Community Meeting**

La Sierra Senior Center
6:30 – 8 p.m.
For more info call 826-5586

Movies & Music on Main: Tangled

Main Street Riverside between
University & Mission Inn Avenues
7 p.m.
For more info call 781-7335

26 **Film Screening: Last Train Home**

Culver Center of the Arts
7 p.m.
For more info call 827-3755

27 **United Way Day of Caring**

City Hall Breezeway
7 a.m.
For more info visit uwiv.org

Photography Adventure in the Mission Inn

Mission Inn Museum
8:30 a.m.
For more info call 788-9556

31 **City Manager Search Business Meeting**

Art Pick Council Chamber
3 – 5 p.m.
For more info call 826-5586

City Manager Search Community Meeting

Bobby Bonds Auditorium
6:30 – 8 p.m.
For more info call 826-5586

September

1 **Riverside Arts Walk**

Downtown Riverside
6 – 9 p.m.
For more info call 682-6737

College Fair

La Sierra Park - Senior Center
7:15 p.m.
For info visit lanariverside.com

2 **Film Screening: The Woodmans**

Culver Center of the Arts
7 p.m.
For more info call 827-3755

3 **Riverside Food Truck Festival**

3rd & Market Streets
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
For info visit riversidefoodfest.com

4 **First Sundays**

Riverside Art Museum
& multiple locations along
Main Street Riverside
1 – 4 p.m.
For more info call 684-7111

8 **Fashion's Night Out**

Downtown Riverside
4 – 10 p.m.
For more info call 341-6550

9 **Film Screening: Even the Rain**

Culver Center of the Arts
7 p.m.
For more info call 827-3755

Live Jazz at the Rooftop Club

Riverside Art Museum
8 p.m.
For more info call 684-7111

10 **Walk with the Mayor: Eastside Neighborhood**

Somerset Street
7:30 a.m.
For more info call 826-5813

Art Show at Canyon Crest Towne Centre

Canyon Crest Towne Centre
9 a.m.
For info visit cctownecentre.com

11 **Moms of Military: Remember Our Heroes**

Fairmount Park Bandshell
2 – 8 p.m.
For more info call 359-3582

9/11 Remembrance Event

City Hall Breezeway
3 p.m.
For more info call 826-5897

15 **27th Annual Women of Achievement**

Riverside Convention Center
11:30 a.m.
For more info call 687-9922

16 **Make-A-Wish Foundation Block Party/Open House**

Main Street Riverside between
5th and 6th Streets
6 – 9 p.m.
For more info call 321-0179

Film Screening: A Screaming Man

Culver Center of the Arts
7 p.m.
For more info call 827-3755

17 **Kenny Loggins with Special Guests: Blue Sky Riders & Firefall**

Fox Performing Arts Center
8 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

21 **Mayor's Night Out: Eastside Neighborhood**

Community Settlement Association
4366 Bermuda Avenue
6:30 p.m.
For more info call 826-5813

24 **Riverside Mariachi Festival**

Fairmount Park
9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
For more info call 826-2000

Jon Secada

Fox Performing Arts Center
8 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

28 **B.B. King with Kenny Wayne Sheperd**

Fox Performing Arts Center
7:30 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

29 **Leon Russell with Special Guest Dr. John**

Fox Performing Arts Center
7:30 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

October

1 **Family Village Festival**

Riverside Metropolitan Museum
4 p.m.
For more info call 283 4347

2 **First Sundays**

Riverside Art Museum
& multiple locations along
Main Street Riverside
1 – 4 p.m.
For more info call 684-7111

3 **Riverside College and Career Fair**

Riverside Convention Center
5 – 8 p.m.
For more info call 683-7100

6 **California Riverside Ballet's Spirit Walk**

Downtown Riverside
5:30 p.m.
For more info call 787-7850

Riverside Arts Walk

Downtown Riverside
6 – 9 p.m.
For more info call 682-6737

7 **Broadway Series: "Forever Plaid"**

Fox Performing Arts Center
8 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

8 **Broadway Series: "Forever Plaid"**

Fox Performing Arts Center
2 & 8 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

9 **2011 Riverside Citrus Classic Bike Run**

Various Locations
Start Location: Riverside Plaza
5:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
For more info visit
riversidecitrusclassic.com

10 **Inland Empire Heart Walk**

Fairmount Park
7 a.m.
For more info call 310-424-4160

12 **Fifty and Better Health Fair**

Janet Goeske Senior Center
8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
For more info call 840-3904

Jason Bonham Led Zeppelin Experience

Fox Performing Arts Center
7:30 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

13 **California Riverside Ballet's Spirit Walk**

Downtown Riverside
5:30 p.m.
For more info call 787-7850

14 **Anjelah Johnson**

Fox Performing Arts Center
8 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

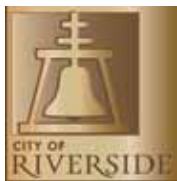
15 **STEP-OUT Walk to Stop Diabetes**

White Park
9 a.m.
For more info call 888-DIABETES

Riverside County Philharmonics: "La Mer, La Ville, La Passion!"

Fox Performing Arts Center
7:30 p.m.
For more info call 779-9800

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